

WEATHER FORECAST

For 24 hours ending 5 p.m. Wednesday:
Victoria and vicinity—Moderate winds,
fair, with light frosts at night.

Victoria Daily Times

WHERE TO GO TO-NIGHT
Variety—The Tiger's Cub.
Dominion—The Little Minister.
Capitol—The Wild Goose.
Columbia—Beach of Dreams.
Royal—Tole's David.

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To-day Provisional Government Created By Dail In Dublin

Griffith's Choice of Collins, Duffy, Duggan, Cosgrave, O'Higgins and Mulcahy As Colleagues Approved; Valera Continues Opposition.

Dublin, Jan. 10.—Arthur Griffith was elected president of the Dail Eireann at to-day's session of that body.

Eamonn de Valera and his followers walked out while the vote was being taken in protest against the nomination of Griffith. Speaker MacNeill put the motion for Griffith's election and he was unanimously chosen.

Despite Griffith's assurances that he would keep the republic going, de Valera declared Griffith could not act as "President" and at the same time as head of the Provisional Government. He said the position of Griffith would be impossible and he urged that someone other than a signatory of the treaty be made the head of the Dail. This suggestion was not followed, however, and de Valera and his party left the chamber, the unanimous election of Griffith following.

Among those who walked out was Robert C. Barton, a signer of the peace treaty, who while voting for it declared he signed it under duress. Valera voted for de Valera's re-election as "President of the Irish Republic" yesterday.

After his election Griffith made this announcement:

"The Dail will continue to exist until the Irish Free State is set up."

Griffith nominated and the Dail ratified, viva voce, the following Cabinet members:

Minister of Finance—Michael Collins.

Foreign Affairs—George Gavan Duffy.

Home Affairs—Eamonn J. Duggan.

Local Government—William T. Cosgrave.

Economic Affairs—Bryan O'Higgins.

Defence—Richard Mulcahy.

Eamonn de Valera and his party immediately went into conference outside, promising a statement to the press later. It was not known whether they would re-enter the Dail.

DECLARED POSITION WAS IMPOSSIBLE

Despite Griffith's explicit statement that he would keep the republic going until the new Free State was set up, de Valera continued to contend that Griffith's position would be impossible. He said Griffith would be strong with his right hand to support the republic and with his left to knock it down.

No statement was issued when the conference of de Valera's party broke up during the recess that was taken until 4 o'clock but it was intimated by several of that group that they would return to the Dail for the afternoon session.

OPPOSED AS HEAD OF GOVERNMENT

Dublin, Jan. 10.—After electing Arthur Griffith president of the Dail Eireann and naming a Cabinet to assist him, the Dail Eireann adjourned to-day until February 14 to permit the new Government to proceed with carrying out the provisions of the Anglo-Irish treaty.

At the end of the session this morning with his followers in protest against the nomination of Griffith for the presidency of the Dail, Eamonn de Valera returned to the afternoon session with a promise of help for Griffith as president of the Dail, but not as head of another Government.

VALERA ASKED GRIFFITH'S ATTITUDE

Dublin, Jan. 10.—Eamonn de Valera, during the discussion which preceded the election of Arthur Griffith as President of the Dail Eireann, asked whether Griffith, if elected, intended to act as an executive of the "Republic." The Dail Eireann, he said, was representative of the "Republic" and nothing else. Peace was not established by the treaty he declared, as the struggle for the "Republic" would continue. "This body," added de Valera, "has no right to give away its powers unless it is established as a republican government."

Charles Burgess, following de Valera, declared Griffith had broken the agreement not to sign a treaty until the completed document had been submitted to the Sinn Fein Cabinet.

"No matter what undertaking Griffith gives now, I oppose his election," he added.

For Treaty

Answering the question of the opposition, Griffith said that if elected he would use his position to give effect to the constitutional vote of the Dail to carry out the terms of the treaty.

De Valera continued to press for a definite answer to his question whether Griffith would act as the executive of the "Irish Republic."

"The reply on Ireland," replied Griffith, "remains in being until the Free State comes into being and there is an opportunity to put the question before the electorate."

Must be Enforced.

Griffith said the Dail had approved the treaty and that it must be carried into effect. Therefore, he added, "we must have a Provisional Government."

Miss Mary MacSwiney said Griffith had made it clear he intended to get Lloyd George to endorse the Dail as the Provisional Government.

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KING BACK, TALKS WITH CABINET

No Announcement To-day About Leaving Government
East Kootenay Federal Seat Ready For Him

"There will be no announcement about Dr. King to-day," Premier Oliver said this afternoon at the conclusion of the Cabinet meeting.

To-day's meeting of the cabinet was of an informal character. The Ministers talked for an hour over the political situation.

Premier Oliver and Hon. J. H. King returned to the Parliament Buildings this morning from Vancouver. An executive meeting of the Cabinet Ministers was at once called to discuss with Dr. King the various phases involved in his resignation.

Dr. King said he would not issue any statement until after he had discussed the whole situation thoroughly with the members of the Government.

The situation must be canvassed very carefully, Dr. King said. "I go to Ottawa largely with the idea of helping them here. Mr. Beattie is most willing to give up the East Kootenay seat to allow me to run there as Minister of Public Works. I left the matter for him to discuss with his supporters there and the wires I have had from them since I left are satisfactory."

Marquis Okuma, who was Premier of Japan in 1914-1915, was born at Saga, Hizen, in 1838. A retainer of Lord Nabeshima, he became one of the founders of the new Government and was Finance Undersecretary, then Minister of Finance in 1869 till 1881. In 1889-1892 he was Foreign Minister and in 1896-97 he was Minister of Agriculture and Commerce. During 1898 he was Premier and Foreign Minister.

Marquis Okuma, was founder and President of the Waseda University and founder of the Japanese Women's University.

His services to his country were enhanced by his leadership during part of the period of the Great War.

MARQUIS OKUMA DIED IN TOKIO

Had Reached Great Age of Eighty-three

Given Posthumous Honors by Head of State

Tokio, Jan. 10.—Marquis Okuma, who died early to-day, has been given posthumous honors by Emperor Yoshihito. He is given court rank junior grade, and is decorated with the grand cordon of the Chrysanthemum, with collar, in recognition of his services for the state.

Nothing Decided on Yet.

Just as the cabinet meeting opened shortly before noon, Premier Oliver told the newspaper men that he had no announcement to make regarding Dr. King.

"When I was in Vancouver last night I had a few minutes with Dr. King," the Premier said. "The news of my time was taken up with Dr. Sutherland. We were discussing party matters."

There is persistent talk around the corridors of the Parliament Buildings that Dr. Sutherland, Liberal whip and member for Revelstoke, is to succeed Dr. King as Provincial Minister of Public Works.

The Premier and members of the cabinet asked about this say that nothing has been decided yet and that everything will remain open until the Liberal conference on January 23.

One of the members of the cabinet declared that anything was likely to happen at the conference of members, but as he saw things it looked like the Hon. A. M. Manson, of Omineca, as the new Attorney-General and a shuffle of portfolios.

Friendly to Progressives.

Mr. King's action in asking the Progressive leader to co-operate has made a wonderful impression," he said. "Even though Mr. Crerar and his colleagues have not come into the cabinet, there is no doubt whatever about their friendliness to the new administration. It is certain that the official opposition will be the forces lined up under the Meighen banner, and that the Progressive party will be found supporting the Government on all fundamental measures."

Regarding the situation in B.C., Dr. King said he did not think there would be any difficulty over him leaving to enter Dominion politics. "Premier Oliver has plenty of good men behind him in the Province, and there is no dearth of cabinet timber among them," Dr. King went on.

NOVA SCOTIA TO LOSE ONE M.P.

Census Figures Make the Group Fifteen

New Brunswick to Retain Eleven Members

These prairie people are the finest class of settlers for this Province," said Mr. Barrow. "They have been up against hard times and know what pioneering is. If they have reasonable opportunity they will make good here. There are scores of families from the two provinces who are planning to come here. Here is the evidence in this pile of correspondence from them which has come just recently."

"We had one man who came all the way to Victoria as the representative of a district where there 250 settlers. They sent him to look for another country to which they could move and where they would not be subject to droughts."

Mr. Barrow is giving his personal attention to the question of what districts these settlers should be sent to. He explains that he believes this is only the start of a big trek to the unsettled agricultural lands of the Province.

MAN REFUSED \$1,000,000, BUT HAS CHANGED MIND

Middleboro, Mass., Jan. 10.—Colonel Charles Garland, 70, who had recently sold his \$1,000,000 estate of his father, James A. Garland of Boston, on the ground that it would be inconsistent with his views regarding property, yesterday confirmed a report that he had changed his mind and would accept the legacy.

London, Jan. 10.—Colonel John Edward Hughes, 70, arrested by Bolshevik authorities in Batum December 9 on an alleged secret British agent, has been released, and is awaiting passage home from Batum via Constantinople, according to a dispatch to The Times. It was officially explained from Moscow that his arrest was an error.

BRITISHER HELD BY SOVIET IN BATUM RELEASED

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Ottawa, Jan. 10.—(Canadian Press) Creation of the Irish Free State is giving heraldry experts in the capital an opportunity to conjecture as to possible changes in the Canadian flag and the Canadian coat of arms should the Irish authorities demand removal of the Cross of St. Patrick, which appears with the Cross of St. George and the Cross of St. Andrew in the Union Jack.

Possible changes in the Union Jack because of action by the Irish Free State Government will be of special interest to Canada owing to the fact that the new Canadian coat of arms was but recently approved by the British Privy Council. Sir George, who is chairman of the Canadian Government, said that the new coat of arms will undoubtedly have to be readjusted to meet the situation.

Whether or not the Department of External Affairs, of which Premier King is the Minister, has yet taken the matter up officially could not be ascertained, but it is understood that nothing will be done here until the British Government signifies its intention to change the Canadian flag and arms will have to be made to conform with that approved by the British Government.

A feature of the problem is that it will undoubtedly again give cause for a good deal of discussion on the advisability of the creation of a distinctively Canadian ensign. It is felt in well informed circles in Ottawa that even a special flag emblem of Canada would have to be adopted by the Union Jack, and that therefore effort toward securing a Canadian flag would also involve study and adoption of possible changes through Irish action.

Objections to changes in the flag and coat of arms are in many quarters based on monetary reasons.

TELEPHONE FIGURES SHOW INCREASE

Canada Ranks Second Only to United States

586,266 Services in Use in 1920

Balance Now on Right Side of the Books

Toronto, Jan. 10.—(Canadian Press) Canada, in 1919, the latest date for which figures are available, ranked second only to the United States in the number of telephones per hundred of population. The United States had 13.6 telephones per 100 population and Canada 9.8. Italy, however, had 10.2 telephones per hundred, was lower than Canada in 1919 and higher than Canada in 1920.

In the year 1920 there were 586,266 telephones in use in Canada, an increase of ten per cent. over 1919 and 26 per cent. over 1913. Increases in rural telephone companies and rural telephones contributed largely to the general increase. The wire mileage in use was 2,165,101, and the average persons per mile of wire was 4.2.

Calgary bowlers had been saying the fixed charges totalled \$66,000,000.

"Such a statement is absolutely untrue," he declared. "The fixed charges of the Canadian National, including the Grand Trunk, are only \$33,000,000. I am going to say this."

"We are back to normal conditions again, freedom from political interference. It would be only a few years before the system would be earning nearly enough to cover those charges, if not all of them. We have Government ownership, but not the slightest interference by the Government in the management of the railways. There seems to be a doubt existing that we are not free from political interference, but I am not going to say this."

Some twenty judgments were delivered to-day, as follows:

Kennedy vs. the King, appeal allowed.

McMullen vs. District Registrar, appeal dismissed, Chief Justice dissenting.

The King vs. United States Fidelity Company, appeal allowed.

Kennedy vs. Victory Land Co., allowed.

Hay vs. Allen, dismissed, Chief Justice dissenting.

Fulton vs. Ioco Townsite Co., dismissed, Mr. Justice McPhillips dissenting.

Frey vs. Lloyd, dismissed.

Canadian Trading Co. vs. Canadian Government Mercantile Marine, allowed.

Hadden vs. North Vancouver, dismissed.

Wilson vs. Coquitlam, new trial ordered.

Merriam vs. Pacific Great Eastern Railway, dismissed, Mr. Justice McPhillips dissenting.

Ashworth vs. Vancouver Trust Co., allowed, Mr. McPhillips dissenting.

Bodner vs. Stuart, dismissed.

Rex vs. Irvine, dismissed.

Macdonald vs. P. G. E. Ry., allowed, Mr. Justice McPhillips dissenting.

Standard Bank Co. vs. Whalen, allowed.

Canadian Credit Co. vs. Goldstein, allowed.

McKinnon vs. Campbell River Lumber Co., allowed, Chief Justice dissenting.

Plant vs. Urquhart, dismissed, Chief Justice Macdonald dissenting.

Train Killed Four Children

Seventeen in Ohio School Bus Injured

Van Wert, Ohio, Jan. 10.—Four children were killed and seventeen were injured shortly before 9 o'clock this morning when a school bus was hit by a Pennsylvania fast freight three miles east of here.

There were thirty-three children in the bus, which was en route to the township school.

The driver of the motor bus did not see the approaching train on account of heavy fog, it was said.

Premier King May Be Back in Ottawa-to-morrow

Ottawa, Jan. 10.—(Canadian Press) Premier King, who has been in Europe, is expected to return to Ottawa-to-morrow.

Spokane City Railways Company with a capitalization of \$1,500,000, to take over the street car lines of the Spokane and Eastern Railway, and to own the company became known here-to-day. It was indicated by a series of important Cabinet meetings and the disposal of accumulation of correspondence.

Spokane City Railways Company will be the first step toward contemplated consolidation of the properties with the street car system of the Washington Water Power Company here.

NEW COMPANY TO TAKE OVER SPOKANE STREET RAILWAY

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Figures Indicate Canada's Population About 8,500,000

Ottawa, Jan. 10.—Census totals for six of the nine provinces have been compiled, leaving the totals for British Columbia, Ontario, Saskatchewan and the Yukon and Northwest Territories still to come. For the six provinces already available the population reaches 4,545,275. Assuming that the remaining provinces will total in the neighborhood of 4,000,000—in the last census their combined population was rather less than 3,400,000—this year's census will give a population for Canada of about 8,500,000. The total population as shown in the 1911 census was 8,000,000.

To-day's figures for Quebec are of particular importance as indicating the unit of representation in the next (fifteenth) Parliament. This unit is reached by dividing Quebec's total population by 65, the fixed number of members which Quebec is entitled to send to the House of Commons. Each of the other provinces is assigned such a number of members as is equal to the result reached when its population has been divided by the unit of representation.

To this rule there are exceptions. By amendment to the British North America Act passed in 1911, Quebec, as a colony, should always be entitled to a number of members in the House of Commons not less than the number of Senators representing such province. As a consequence the representation of Prince Edward Island has remained at four members.

Now 36,000.

Following the last census, the unit of representation was 36,000. To-day's Quebec figures, with the increase in Quebec population, bring the unit of representation to 36,000. On that basis the Maritime Provinces will, following the next redistribution, lose three members, Manitoba will gain two, and Alberta will gain four. The representation of the six provinces will be:

Quebec, 65 (no change); Nova Scotia, 14, a decrease of 2; New Brunswick, 10, a decrease of 1; Prince Edward Island, 4 (no change); Manitoba, 17, an increase of 2; Alberta, 16, an increase of 4.

As the totals for the remaining provinces have not been compiled their representation in the next Parliament cannot be accurately calculated.

During the last ten years the population of Quebec province has increased by 17.1 per cent. Census figures issued to-day show the Quebec now has a population of 2,349,067, as compared with 2,005,776, an increase of 343,291.

KING ALEXANDER TO MARRY PRINCESS OF ROUMANIA

Belgrade, Jan. 10.—The engagement of King Alexander to the Princess Marie, second daughter of King Ferdinand and Queen Mary of Roumania, was officially announced to-day.

Princess Marie is twenty-two years old. She was reported engaged to Alexander, who was then Prince Regent of Jugoslavia, in September last.

DEVELOPMENT PLAN IN NEWFOUNDLAND

St. John's, Nfld., Jan. 10.—The Newfoundland Government is negotiating with the Armstrong-Whitworth Company, of England, and the Reid Newfoundland Railway Company with regard to the previously announced project to create waterpower development totalling 235,000 horsepower on the west coast of Newfoundland.

This would be utilized for the establishment of a paper mill with a capacity of 400 tons of newsprint daily, a factory for smelting aluminum with a capacity of 15,000 tons yearly and other industries.

The associated companies have asked that the Government guarantee an amount of £1,000,000 at 6 per cent, with a sinking fund of 1 per cent for thirty-seven years. If the companies and the Government reach an agreement it is expected that an association of executives to deal with the matter will be called before the end of this month.

Several passengers were cut and bruised during the accident which occurred Friday night, but none was seriously injured.

HAIR BOBBED IN RAILWAY SMASH

Young Woman in Newfoundland Had Unusual Experience

St. Johns, Nfld., Jan. 10.—Sitting at the window of a first-class car when an avalanche of snow, rolling down the mountainside at Rapids Pond, swept the passenger coaches of the Reid Newfoundland Railway express from the rails, Miss Margaret Matthews, school teacher of Springfield, had her hair bobbed as neatly as any bobbed could do, and without injury to her scalp. When dug out of the snowdrift she was found to be suffering only from a cut below the shoulder.

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KOOTENAY TOWNS HAVE CONTESTS

Nelson, B.C., Jan. 10.—Nominations in West Kootenay cities were made yesterday.

Nelson has nineteen candidates, with contests for the civic offices. Mayor C. F. McHardy is opposed by L. A. Austin, Socialist, and Mrs. W. Garland Foster, both of whom have served on the Council.

Traill has sixteen candidates, with a three-cornered contest for Mayor between J. Martin, Robert Clark and Mrs. Charles Robertson. There are contests for every office but the School Board, to which F. E. Dockrell and James Williamson were elected.

In Rossland, Mayor Alexander Phipps is opposed by Alderman J. T. Armstrong, W. J. Garbutt, Edward Stephens and Warren Innes were elected aldermen in the West End and R. J. Clegg and T. S. Gilmour were elected School Trustees. All other offices are uncontested.

Kaslo elected its Council and School Board by acclamation, but no one filed for Police Commissioner. Those elected are: Mayor, James Anderson; Aldermen, George Stott, D. A. McCay, S. H. Green, J. A. Ridell, Major J. H. Stubb, W. J. Noble, Trustees, H. G. Murdoch, W. J. Morrison.

Slocan City developed no aspirant for Mayor, but elected the rest of its servants as follows: Councillors William Clough, William Hicks, Harvey Fife, Mrs. Elizabeth Tattersall; Trustees, M. Popoff, William Hicks.

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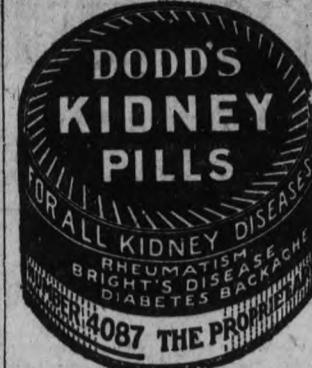
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FAITH-HEALER HELPS MAORIS

Ratana, New Zealand, Ceases to Minister to White Men

Wellington, N. Z., Jan. 9.—Ratana, the Maori faith-healer, has decided in future that he will confine his administrations to his own race, and refuse them to the pakehas (white people). He has been driven to take this attitude owing to the criticism he has received to date approximately 70,000 letters, many of them from Canada, and the Maoris have cost him hundreds of pounds, the money on which he has cheerfully spent. Every letter has been answered. Many have offered to defray his expenses and to reimburse him, but he has not accepted a penny for all the money in the world will never buy God's blessing.

In a letter to the press he says he has received to date approximately 70,000 letters, many of them from Canada, and the Maoris have cost him hundreds of pounds, the money on which he has cheerfully spent. Every letter has been answered. Many have offered to defray his expenses and to reimburse him, but he has not accepted a penny for all the money in the world will never buy God's blessing.

Thousands Healed.

"I wish you to know," he says in his letter, "what I have tolerated for the pakehas for the past twelve months. Thousands of sufferers have been healed of existing ailments which the medicine man failed to cure. My proofs are world-wide, not of one particular kind of ailment, but of all diseases and defects. Priests, members of parliament, doctors, ministers, lawyers, scientists, missionaries, titled personages, chemists, students and thousands of others have asked for help and have been healed. Some have had no cure when not from lack of sympathy, but because of monetary expense, but because of continuous antagonistic criticism, when I must decide to discontinue further assistance to the world sufferers. In the future I shall be assisting only my own people to the truth and the faith in the Almighty."

Ratana has undertaken to abolish totemism (with doctor's protests) amongst the Maoris and at Christmas, when he admonished all his followers and all Maoris to shun such evils as contrary to Christianity.

A Long Swim.

Perils of the South Seas have figured in many romances. One of the most remarkable is brought by a schooner from the Tonga Islands to Auckland. A seven-ton cutter owned by an English resident of the island of Nukualofa, left to make the voyage to Eua, which is eighteen miles away. Native boys and half castes provided the crew, and as is the practice with them who had tied the cutter's main sheet fast. A hurricane sprang up and the craft in a twinkling was overturned. Three Tongans were lost, but were recovered, but one native woman managed to keep afloat. From four o'clock in the afternoon until five next morning she swam through seas infested with sharks and rough with the buffeting of the gale. Then she came upon an outlying reef off Eua, and her hair caught in the branching coral. She had barely strength to tear it away and crawl over the reef to the sandy beach. There she was found unconscious by natives and assisted back to consciousness.

Mr. Alexander: Did it come to your knowledge of the position of the firm's account at the time of the death of Alderman D. Wilson?

Sir Montagu Allan paused for some time, and then replied: "In a general way, yes."

"In subsequent years, 1914-15-16?"

Sir Montagu: In 1914 I knew of it in a general way. I left here in 1915 and did not come back until 1919. I went over after the Lusitania was sunk.

(Sir Montagu Allan lost a daughter in that disaster.)

Mr. Alexander: What was the cause?

Mr. Shaughnessy vigorously objected to the question but was overruled by Judge Leet.

Mr. Alexander then changed his question, asking: "Were you informed of the position of the account on your return in 1919?"

"No."

"When did you first find out the true position of the account?"

Again Mr. Shaughnessy protested, but was overruled.

In Butte, Mont., Jan. 9.—A 200-gallon whisky still, cemented on rocks, to

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together with 2,500 gallons of corn mush, has been seized by Beaverhead County officials. It was located on the continental divide between the upper Snake River and the Gallatin in a spot inaccessible except with horses and sleighs and after a two-mile jaunt on snowshoes.

The officers also found eleven huge vats and 100 gallons of moonshine liquor. Three alleged operators of the still were arrested.

London, Jan. 10.—The appeal in the case of the Grand Trunk Railway against the award of the board of arbitration appointed by the Canadian Government for the handing over of the property to the Government of Canada, has not been entered for argument before the Privy Council, which will open its next session Jan. 15.

The only two Canadian appeals for hearing are from British Columbia, and are of minor interest.

Judgment in the case of the Manitoba Government vs. Thomas Kelly & Sons, contractors, who built the Parliament Buildings for that province, is slated for delivery.

The decision in the case of the National Bell Company, which involves the question of importation and exportation of liquor, is also scheduled.

Mr. Alexander: Did you have personal knowledge, or, broadly, as a director of the Merchants' Bank, did you know that Thornton Davidson & Company had a large debt balance with your bank?

Senator Lorne C. Webster followed. Examined by Mr. Alexander, he declared that he had been a director of the Merchants' Bank since 1919. He had known prior to July 1, 1920, the date on which the firm's failure was announced, that Thornton Davidson & Company was technically bankrupt and insolvent and could not meet its obligations.

Mr. Alexander: Did you have personal knowledge, or, broadly, as a director of the Merchants' Bank, did you know that Thornton Davidson & Company, the general manager of the Merchants' Bank, would also probably have been liable?

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at the Theatre

Dominion

Once again Lord Baden trips lightly across our vision this time on the silversheet and portrayed by the delightful star Betty Compson, in the Paramount picture produced by Penrhyn Stanlaws, "The Little Minister." Large audiences were delighted with the play which was seen at the Dominion Theatre last night and elicited the praise of all who witnessed it. It is a type of the fine, clean and wholesome plays that are so much to be desired. Miss Compson's portrayal of the "Little Minister" was excellent and the picture recorded by George Hackathorne, Edwin Stevens, Nigel Barrie, and others, was excellent. Penrhyn Stanlaws was the director.

CAPITOL

To see a motion picture personally directed by Albert Capellani, is a delight. This was especially so in the case of "The Wild Goose," his latest Cosmopolitan production for Paramount which was presented before a large and enthusiastic audience at the Capitol Theatre last night. The story dealing with the eternal tangle in wedded life, is admirably brought out by this master director, while the investiture, rich appointments and massive settings, lacked little to make the production one of the best shown here.

From start to finish, the theme of "The Wild Goose," outlining the legend that a wild goose never deserts its mate, is finely developed. The leading characters, a man and wife, finely personified by Helen E. Hobart and Mary MacLaren, stand boldly forth and one watches their marital vicissitudes which nearly approach the tragic, with profound interest. The supporting company is well balanced and artistically the production is a great criticism.

Walter Beaton, fine baritone, always a treat to listen to. The new songs he is singing this week will add

AMUSEMENTS TO-DAY

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Columbia—"Beach of Dreams."
Royal—"Tol'able David."

to his reputation as one of the most popular singers appearing at the Capitol.

VARIETY

Pearl White, internationally famous, Fox Film Corporation's newest "Tiger's Cub" at the Variety Theatre all this week, has been honored by members of the 48th Squadron, Royal Air Force, at Quetta, India. They have given the name "The Pearl White" to a Bristol flying aeroplane which saw service against the Germans over France and Belgium.

Betty Compson's name was chosen from a list of motion picture stars, as that of the most popular actress on the screen; the verdict of the members of the squadron being unanimous, according to a record received at the Fox headquarters.

"The Pearl White" machine, which is on garrison duty on the North-western frontier of India, made an enviable record during the world war, having accounted for 100 machine-nosed German Fokkers. Since the close of the war this machine has upheld its name on the Afghan frontier, although the members of the squadron admit it has been in a few tight corners.

In notifying Miss White of her selection, Captain G. E. Turner, R.A.F., has asked the famous Fox star to furnish a photograph which will be artistically copied in paint on the dashboard of the machine. Miss White promptly sent the photograph. The number of the machine which signed the communication notifying Miss White that she is their "Idol" are the following:

Captain G. E. Turner, F. Balfe, A. R. Partridge, J. C. Kilvington, J. A. Sutherland, J. Schofield and J. B. Clegg.

COLUMBIA

Gripping, breath-taking, thrilling! That is what the spectator will say when he sees the shipwreck scene in the Robertson-Cole release, "The Beach of Dreams," featuring Edith Storey, which is playing at the Columbia Theatre.

ROYAL VICTORIA

The story of David and Goliath is given a modern counterpart in the First National Attraction "Tol'able David," by Richard Barthelmess, who in one of the most thrilling fight scenes ever depicted for the films, as a mere striping of a youth, at-

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Usual Prices.

AT THE DOMINION



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tacks and kills a veritable giant of the mountains, in the performance of his duty. "Tol'able David" is being shown at the Royal Victoria Theatre to-day and during the remainder of the week.

Barthelmess' big fight scene comes at the culmination of two encounters with villains, father and son, who are seeking to retain the government mail sack which is entrusted to his charge. David kills them both, but before they die, he hurls a chair at the boy he has wounded and has his revenge in seeing the gun drop from the boy's grasp.

When Luke, another brother, the modern Goliath, steps on to the scene, David is defenceless, with his left arm useless because of a bullet wound. He fights him with the agility of a tiger he leaps upon his foe, and there ensues one of the most thrilling fights imaginable.

It ends when David, with almost superhuman strength, hurls his huge adversary over his back and falling, in so doing he stumbles on his lost revolver.

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TOL'ABLE
DAVID

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Vancouver Island News

DUNCAN RATEPAYERS

TO GO TO POLLS

Two Candidates For Office of Mayor; North Cowichan

Duncan, Jan. 10.—Candidates for municipal office in Duncan, where the official nominations were made yesterday, are:

For Mayor—Edward Fleming Miller, nominated by (Mrs.) May D. Castley and Leopold Ashton Helen; Harold Fairfax Preyst, nominated by Thomas Pitt and W. L. B. Young.

For Aldermen—Herbert W. Dickie, nominated by F. G. Smith and W. L. B. Young; Thomas Proby, nominated by D. E. Gavin Es. S. Sister Marion, E. T. Siste Cottie; M. T. Sister Rufus; N. R. and C. Sister Douglas; M. C. F. Sister Wilson; P. O. T. Sister Hackwood; O. G. Sister Taylor.

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Nanaimo. He has resided here for upwards of thirty years and for seven consecutive years sat as a representative of the South Ward in the City Council as alderman. He is entering the mayoralty on a platform which includes a business administration, economy with due regard to the city's requirements, and the enforcement of all laws and regulations.

At the last regular meeting of the Pythian Sisters the following officers were elected and installed for the ensuing year, by Sister Lewis, Sister Slaughter and Sister Quaggin: C. G. S. Sister Marion, E. T. Sister Cottie; M. T. Sister Rufus; N. R. and C. Sister Douglas; M. C. F. Sister Wilson; P. O. T. Sister Hackwood; O. G. Sister Taylor.

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Court of Revision.

Sidney, Jan. 9.—A Court of Revision was held in the Sidney Hotel Thursday, at 11 a.m., for the purpose of hearing and adjusting complaints against the assessments. Judge Fletcher of Victoria presided at the court, while Mr. D. B. Lawson, chief of the Bureau of Taxation and Mr. Thomas Leeming, chief assessor of the Province, were representing the departments. Quite a number of complaints were registered, most of which were amicably settled.

Vigilant in Port.

Sidney, Jan. 10.—The SS. Vigilant Captain, Carmel of Tacoma, cleared up the port on Friday morning to Genoa Bay to pick up cargo No. 38 of the Washington Tug and Barge Co., which is being loaded by the Genoa Bay Lumber Company with 5000 feet of lumber destined for Tacoma building concerns. The Vigilant, a 50-ton tug, expects to be up here on the same kind of work again shortly. The owners of the Vigilant are the Cascade Tug and Boat Co. of Tacoma.

To Secure Clearance.

Sidney, Jan. 10.—The navigation season for the port of Sidney was opened early Sunday morning, Jan. 1, when the SS. Fox, T. Crosby, Capt. S. S. Crosby, Seattle, and the Washington Towing and Barge Co. with Barge No. 38 of the same company in tow, put into port at 9 a.m. for the purpose of getting customs clearance for Genoa Bay, where a cargo of lumber consigned to California ports is waiting to be loaded.

To Be Decided.

The referendum to be put before the ratepayers is:

"Are you in favor of school consolidation between the municipality of North Cowichan and the city of Duncan being continued or not?"

Farmers' Institute.

Duncan, Jan. 9.—A general meeting of the Cowichan Farmers' Institute was held on Saturday morning with the president, R. E. Barclay in the chair. Frank Alexander, proposed by Frank T. Townsend, and William Probyn Thompson proposed by H. L. Helen, seconded by J. Murchie.

Chemunis Ward—By acclamation, Col. P. T. Rivett-Carnac.

Cowichan Ward—By acclamation, Dr. E. Ashby.

Sommes Ward—By acclamation, Mark Green.

For School Trustee, by acclamation, Henry R. Smiley.

Police Commissioner, by acclamation, Thomas Anthony Wood.

For Sheriff, by acclamation.

For Constable, by acclamation.

For Fire Department, by acclamation.

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NOT VERY ENTANGLING.

It was only to be supposed that Mr. Lloyd George would not enter into any arrangement with one or more European powers without consulting the Dominions if the terms of such a pact were designed to implicate the Empire as a whole. To-day's dispatch from London merely emphasizes this point and explains that as far as Canada and the other self-governing members of the British family are concerned such participation as they might feel disposed to guarantee in future European entanglements involving the new Anglo-French agreement would be a matter for their own decision.

After all the understanding to which both Great Britain and France have agreed is virtually a re-affirmation of the Entente Cordiale and a guarantee to the Republic against future military aggression by Germany. The old arrangement pledged Great Britain to a definite promise of assistance to France to the extent of six divisions. Mute evidence of how Britain kept her word, how she was supported by an un-obligated Empire, is reflected in thousands of little white crosses in France and Flanders.

There seems to be no cause for alarm in the provisions of the latest undertaking. Germany has had her fill of war and military aggression on her part can be counted out of European speculation for some time to come. By the time of her recovery from her last experiment it ought to be possible to depend upon the authority of the League of Nations to discourage her or any other nation which might have new ideas of military conquest at that stage.

At the same time it is a thousand pities that some of the time spent on other affairs could not be devoted to elevating the League from its present academic status to something that would put the fear of the Lord into every exponent of the old Teutonic theory. Public education in the interests of universal peace would be so simple if all the nations would commit themselves to the principle. War would go out of fashion in one decade and the world would be millions in pocket.

AN EXCELLENT PLAN.

Victoria's City Council should not be slow to accept and act upon the proposal of Alderman Perry and appoint an independent permanent board of trustees for the control and general management of civic sinking funds. Other large cities follow this course and relieve the Municipal Council of responsibility for preservation of a fund which really does not belong to it in the ordinary sense of the term. Sinking funds are earmarked for the one and only purpose of retiring municipal obligations at the proper time and it stands to reason that if at any period during the interval of accumulation there is shown to be a deficit civic credit is commensurately endangered. This money belongs to the bondholders and is merely held in trust. Diversion to other purposes is contrary to law. There is no suggestion that the law has been or would be wilfully broken under the present method of handling the fund; but even a City Council sometimes resembles the boy, who is tempted to take the axe to his automatic money box before the mechanism forces the lid off.

VERY PEEVED.

Emmon de Valera and his followers object to the leadership of Arthur Griffith because the new president of the Dail Eireann is formulating his plans for the enforcement of the Treaty and not for the establish-

ment of a republic. As a mark of protest against the new programme the former president of the Dail and the rest of the Treaty opponents walked out of the chamber this morning. This method of procedure is in keeping with the attitude which de Valera has maintained ever since he ceased to take a direct part in the negotiations between the British Cabinet and the Sinn Fein. But it is a fortunate circumstance that his action and the support which his immediate followers will accord him will be diametrically opposed to the sentiment of the great majority of the people in Southern Ireland. On this account it is scarcely likely that anything he may say or do at this late hour will influence any very great bulk of the electorate at the general election of members for the new Parliament. He has now actively aligned himself against the Treaty and the peace that it should assure and his programme will be a nuisance during the transition period. But he will find out his mistake in the results that the ballot box will reveal.

THE POLICE FORCE.

It would be out of place to attempt to instruct the new Board of Police Commissioners in its duty to the force and the public as a whole. His Worship and the newly elected member are by no means strangers to civic management and it can be taken for granted that both of them by this time are in possession of certain facts which relate to the recent controversy in respect of police affairs generally. No recommendation of last year's Board is in any way binding upon the body which meets in its first official session this week. Nor is it to be supposed that it will commit the folly of ignoring the chief executive of the Department.

The present condition of the force, in view of the compulsory retirement of Inspector Purdie and three of his colleagues, will no doubt demand early consideration at the hands of the Commissioners. Such changes and additions as may appear to be advisable will certainly be determined after consultation with and upon the advice of the Chief. In any case it is safe to assume that the new body will conduct its business without the introduction of novelty or sensationalism.

Michael Collins then rose and said the Dail must organize immediately some form of government to prevent a state of anarchy. The Dail must make a success, he declared. He referred to the difficulties the new Government would meet and urged harmonious co-operation to surmount them.

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LABOR FORCES GIVE SUPPORT.

Dublin, Jan. 10.—As the Dail Eireann assembled to-day it was expected that a motion requiring Arthur Griffith to form a Provisional Government under the newly ratified peace treaty would be submitted soon after the opening of the morning session.

Encouragement for supporters of the treaty arrived last night with the announcement that organized labor in Ireland had resolved to throw its influence into the scale in behalf of the new government.

This is reported to prove important and the formal declaration is awaited with interest.

Support.

The Irish newspapers continue the support of the new order of things. The political correspondent of The Freeman's Journal writes:

"The wreckers of the treaty yesterday played their master stroke and failed." He declares the master stroke to turn de Valera's personality and prestige into a weapon to smash the Anglo-Irish treaty by smart maneuvering would be regarded throughout Ireland as disingenuous procedure.

The writer adds:

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The Irish Times, regretting de Valera's attitude in the Dail, says: "De Valera, like the Bourbons, learns nothing and forgets nothing. He holds the view that the Irish republic and the Irish Free State can exist only in the same time and ignore the fact that he is now leader of the minority in the Dail. He permitted his supporters in the Dail to nominate him for reelection. This was a desperate but very clever attempt to wreck the coup d'etat."

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NOTE AND COMMENT

Soviet Russia has consented to be represented at the Genoa gathering and Bolshevik officials with full authority to act for the Moscow regime will be sent. This is satisfactory information if only for the reason that it will

give Lenine and Company an opportunity to produce their bona fides and obtain some respect in return.

Messrs. Lloyd George, Bonar Law, and Aristide Briand made up a three-some at golf yesterday morning to enable them to talk "shop" between shots. No wonder the British Prime Minister is an all-round "plus" man if he can discuss international alliances with a mashie in his hand.

Running true to form The Morning Post supplies the note of discord in the London press and thinks the British public will find "gloomy satisfaction in reflecting that perhaps the Irish will be content to shoot one another." What an affliction it must be to be so hopelessly out of tune with practically all its contemporaries.

TO-DAY PROVISIONAL GOVERNMENT CREATED BY DAIL IN DUBLIN

(Continued from page 1.)

Dublin, Jan. 10.—The speedy formation of a provisional government for Ireland was urged upon the Dail Eireann by Michael Collins shortly after the opening of to-day's session.

The Dail resumed its sitting at 11:30 o'clock with the reading by Speaker John MacNeill of a cable message from Cardinal Gasparri on behalf of Pope Benedict, saying the Pope rejoiced with the Irish people at the agreement that had been reached by his bishops to them after they had passed through their long period of sorrows faithful to the Catholic Church.

Another message read was from the Irish Labor Party, asking the Dail to receive a deputation for a conference regarding the economic and industrial situation.

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It's Grandmother's Recipe to Bring Back Color and Lustre to Hair.

The report claims the Victoria department for aid during the two seven-day race meets at the Willows which supervision resulted in an entire absence of crime. In all \$2,801.44 was collected in taxes and fees by the department. The report states 49 motor accidents happened in the municipality, of which nine people were more or less seriously injured. Two cases of suicide and one of shooting were investigated by the coroner.

The fire loss for the year, of twenty fires, was \$1,756.55, or an average of about \$90 per conflagration. The value of the property endangered was \$45,700. Life insurance on the department was \$24,000.

In concluding his report Chief Syme has a word of praise for his staff, which operated through the year without a single complaint, and in a manner that upheld the best traditions of the service.

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BURN OUR COAL

PANAMA FIRE CAUSES LOSS OF ABOUT \$70,000

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WHY ONLY TWO NOW REMAIN IN FIGHT FOR SAANICH REEVESHIP

A letter, of which the accompanying is a copy, has resulted in the withdrawal of Councillors Simpson from the contest for the Saanich Reevehip.

Dear Councillor Simpson,

With reference to our conversation, the main thing is that it is desirable to see that Reeve Watson be not returned to office.

The approval or disapproval of the Chief Magistrate can only be ascertained by a direct vote, which it is my endeavor to secure.

Therefore, in the event of your favor I would give you my understanding to propose you should your re-election nomination for the Reevehip for 1922.

Moreover, I would gladly express my willingness to work on your behalf.

In conclusion I would say I believe it is desirable that the chair should be occupied alternately by citizens representing the Inner and Outer Wards. With kindest regards

(Sgd) ERIC G. KINGWELL.

prison but the armored car used for that purpose failed to carry out the plans.

The return of de Valera from the United States was attributed to Griffith's imprisonment as de Valera on his return resumed the active direction of Sinn Fein affairs.

Early in June last there were reports of a London conference to which Irish leaders would be invited. Griffith's release from prison followed on June 21 last.

Griffith went to London in July and later was appointed chairman of the Sinn Fein mission in the negotiations.

On December 6 last in the signing of the treaty between Great Britain and Ireland which is now approved by the British Parliament and the Dail Eireann.

The annual report of Chief Syme of Oak Bay, presented to the Oak Bay police board last night showed a satisfactory record of criminal prevention for the year. In all eighty-eight cases were dealt with, mostly minor offences against the civic regulations and the Motor Act.

A robbery of \$4,000 worth of jewels, three motor cars and some miscellaneous articles. Property valued at \$321 was found by the public and returned through the police to the owners, all but \$21 worth going back to the original losers.

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Children's Felt Slippers. Reg. \$1.00 to \$1.25. On sale at 50¢

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Women's Felt Slippers, ribbon trimmed. Reg. \$1.50. On sale at 95¢

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Women's Washable Bath Slippers at 50¢

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January Sale Clearance of Writing Pads

"Leader" Writing Pads, ruled and unruled, in letter size. January Sale Price, each 20¢

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—Men's Shoes, Main Floor

Two Wednesday Bargains in Silks

40-Inch Silk Marquise in a close, smooth weave, and a most desirable fabric for evening wear. Shown in shades of rose, shrimp, white and sky. Reg. \$2.75 value. On sale at \$1.98

18-Inch Black Silk Velvet, of an extra close weave, suitable for millinery and trimmings. Special value at, a yard \$1.25

—Silks, Main Floor

REMNANTS At Half Price in the Drapery Department

Those who took advantage of the bargains offered during our last half price sale of Drapery Remnants should not fail to secure their share of the big remnant values offered to-morrow. Short ends of Cretonnes, Velours, Casement Cloths, Tapestry, Curtain Voiles, Nets, Madras and other curtain fabrics. All half the already reduced prices.

Our Sale of Women's Dresses Continues Every Dress in the Stock Reduced Many Wonderful Values



House Dresses and Aprons at Reduced Prices To-morrow Morning

Dresses of good quality checked ginghams, trimmed with organdie. Values to \$6.75. On Sale at \$3.98

Dresses of plain chambray and checked and striped ginghams, in many styles, long and short sleeves, loose or semi-fitting models. Values to \$4.75. On Sale at \$2.98

Dresses of striped prints and ginghams, in various styles. Some with collars and cuffs of white pique. Values to \$3.75. On Sale at \$1.98

House Dresses, in outsizes of striped prints. On sale at \$1.25

Aprons of good grade prints, with bands and finished with braid. On sale at 45¢

Aprons of light and dark prints, with bibs. On sale at 45¢

Aprons of strong white cotton, with wide straps. On sale at \$1.50

—Women's Whitewear, First Floor

Linoleum Remnants Biggest Snap Yet Offered

During the heavy Linoleum business of the past few months, created by our exceptionally low prices, a large number of remnants accumulated, and these we now offer at bargain prices.

Genuine Canadian and Scotch Printed Linoleum. Value to \$1.25 a square yard. Remnants up to 8 square yards. On sale at, a square yard 50¢

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Inlaid Linoleum, including Nairn's, Barry's and Greenwich. Values to \$2.90 a yard. Remnants up to 6 yard lengths. On sale at, a square yard \$1.35

—Second Floor

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12 All-Felt Mattresses, full weight, covered with good grade art ticking. In sizes 3 ft. 3 in., 4 ft. and 4 ft. 6 in. On sale at \$7.75

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Okanagan Apples, No. 1, per box	\$1.68
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Nice New Prunes, 3 pounds for	32¢
Fancy Dried Apricots, lb. 34¢	
Turkish Cooking Figs, 2 pounds for	35¢
Del Monte Tomatoes, large tins, solid packed, 2 for	45¢
Quaker Corn, 2 tins for	35¢
Kellog's Toasted Wheat Flakes, per pkt.	10¢
Eagle Table Salt, 5-pound sacks for	18¢

SPECIALS FOR WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY

Pride of Canada Pure Maple Sugar, half-pound cakes; regular 20c values, per cake 14¢ or 2 for	27¢
Col. Skinner's Real Indian Chutney. Made in Calcutta; regular 40c bottles for	29¢
"Chocolatta" the ready to use chocolate; contains the sugar and milk, just add boiling water; regular 25¢ tins for	19¢

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Fresh Made Alberta Creamery, per pound 42¢; 3 pounds for \$1.22

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Boiling Pork, fresh or pickled, per lb. 25¢

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Women's Boots

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Misses' Boots

Low heel calf lacing boots in black or brown; sizes 11 to 2. Sale special	\$2.90
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Women's Spats

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Mr. J. F. Phelan, of Vancouver, is registered at the Empress Hotel.

Mr. Lorne A. Campbell, of Rossland, is a guest at the Empress Hotel.

Mr. Alister Forbes, of Cobble Hill, is a guest at the Empress Hotel.

Capt. John Irving was a passenger on Monday night's boat for Vancouver.

Mr. Borrellade left recently for San Francisco on a visit to his mother.

Mrs. Stuart Livingstone, of Vancouver, is a guest at the Empress Hotel.

Mrs. T. G. Ludgate (née Eleanor Taylor) has gone to live in Oswego, near Portland, Oregon.

Vancouver registrations at the Empress Hotel include S. C. Craddock, W. N. McLeod and D. A. McDonald.

The Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Nichol have as their guest for a few days at Government House, Mrs. Tuthill, of Vancouver.

Miss Kate Leggo, who has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Leggo, of Montreal, leaves for Winnipeg on Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. L. T. Kenney, of Smithers, B. C., and Messrs. L. H. and E. T. Kenney and family, of Terrace, B. C., arrived on Sunday to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. V. Kenney, 840 Craigflower Road.

M.E. Knight A. S. Eately, M.D., the Supreme Grand Master of the Sovereign Great Priory of Canada, is paying an official visit to Western Gate Preceptory, and is accompanied by R.E. Knight Peacock, Provincial Prior of Alberta.

J. S. Jeffery and Mrs. Jeffery, of Calgary; Mrs. M. Scott, of Bamber, William Cain, of Mayne Island; W. R. Griffith of Nanaimo; P. Martin of Whitehorse, Y.T.; J. A. Catherwood, J. D. Miller and R. G. Marach of Mission, B.C.; R. H. Cairns, J. B. McLean, R. K. Morton, F. E. Maguire, R. J. Stewart, G. F. Petrie and family, C. R. Goodwin, G. R. Colville, Leonard Geddes, Lloyd R. Edgett, M. J. Manning and A. F. Roberts of Vancouver, are new arrivals at the Dominion Hotel.

Strathcona Hotel arrivals include: W. D. McIrae, L. Richardson, W. H. Haslett, Mr. and Mrs. A. Pinkerton, A. H. Fogg, of Vancouver.

The Weather

Daily Weather Presented by the Victoria Weather Department

Victoria, Jan. 10—5 a.m.—The barometer was abnormally high over the Pacific Slope. Fair weather is general with moderate winds on the Coast. The temperature is above zero in the prairie provinces.

Reports.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.52; temperature, maximum yesterday, 45°; minimum, 40°; 8 miles S. W.; rain, trace; weather, fair.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.52; temperature, maximum yesterday, 46°; minimum, 32°; wind, 4 miles S. E.; rain, 6¢; weather, fair.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.36; temperature, maximum yesterday, 50; minimum, 42; wind, 1 mile S. W.; rain, trace.

Esquimalt—Barometer, 30.34; temperature, maximum yesterday, 46°; minimum, 32; wind, 12 miles S. W.; rain, 18¢; weather, cloudy.

Penticton—Barometer, 30.50; temperature, maximum yesterday, 47; minimum, 40; snow, 1 in.

Nelson—Barometer, 30.28; temperature, maximum yesterday, 34; minimum, 22; wind, 12 miles S. W.; rain, 18¢; weather, cloudy.

Tatsoi—Barometer, 30.50; temperature, maximum yesterday, 44; minimum, 42; wind, 18 miles S.; rain, 4¢; weather, clear.

Penticton—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 27; snow, 1 in.

Nelson—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 35; rain, 19.

Temperature.

Portland, Ore. 48 Min. 40

San Francisco 54 Min. 42

Grand Forks 44 Min. 38

Cranbrook 40 Min. 35

Kaslo 38 Min. 33

Cariboo 39 Min. 34

Edmonton 30 Min. 24

Qu'Appelle 28 Min. 22

Winnipeg 34 Min. 26

Ottawa 34 Min. 24

Montreal 32 Min. 24

St. John 34 Min. 24

Halifax 33 Min. 24

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NEWS IN BRIEF

To Discuss "Mexico."—The regular monthly missionary meeting of St. Andrew's Church will be held on Wednesday at 8 p.m., when "Mexico" will be the topic for discussion.

St. Jude's, Old Avenue.—The annual vestry meeting of St. Jude's Church, the Gorge, will be held on Thursday promptly at 7:30 p.m. All parishioners are asked to attend.

Move Offices.—Musgrave & Whyte, Dominion and B. C. land surveyors, have moved their offices from the Sayward Building to the ground floor of the Law Chambers, 651 Baston Street.

Whist Drive.—The whist drive to be held at the K. of P. Hall on North Park Street, Wednesday next, is under the auspices of the Moose Tennis Club. The arrangements are in very capable hands, and good prizes will be presented.

Congratulations Chamber.—The St. Catharines, Ontario, Chamber of Commerce has sent greeting to the Victoria Chamber of Commerce and congratulates the local organization on the work which it is doing in the interests of the city.

Postpones Action.—Reeve Drake of Oak Bay, at yesterday's meeting of the Chamber of Commerce stated that action regarding the purchase of Oak Bay Park had been postponed for the present, the draft agreement not yet being ready.

Presentation Made.—Mrs. Hampton, one of the most popular Hotel waitresses, who was recently married, was made the recipient of a handsome gift at today's luncheon of the Kiwanis Club, whom she has served ever since the organization was formed here.

Fires in Saanich.—During 1921 there were 240 fires in Saanich, according to the annual report of Fireman Little yesterday made to the Saanich Council. There were eight serious fires, three being outside the water area. The damages done amounted to \$27,800, while one life was lost.

Supporting Councillor Kingwell.—At the meeting of Ward One, Saanich voters, called for tomorrow evening at the North Dairy School, Councillor Simpson will take the platform in support of Councillor Eric G. Kingwell for the Reevehip. A. E. James will outline his platform, candidate for the Council.

Saanich Vital Statistics.—In Saanich during 1921 there were 169 births, 92 males and 77 females; 60 deaths, 32 males and 28 females, and 32 marriages. These figures were presented to the Saanich Council yesterday in the annual report of Medical Health Officer Dr. J. P. Vye.

Natural History Society.—At the meeting of the Natural History Society last night, J. P. Forde, Dominion Public Works engineer, gave an interesting description of the source and course of the Columbia River. Mr. Forde also exhibited some interesting fossils from the Queen Charlotte Islands.

To Hold Benefit Review.—Under the auspices of Queen Alexandra Review, a benefit will be held at the home of Mrs. David Burnett, 1429 Richardson Street, from 3 till 6 to-morrow afternoon, to be followed in the evening at 8 o'clock by a card party. The proceeds of the dual affair will be devoted to the Review's fund for the assistance of its unemployed.

Guests of Directors.—James Cormack, newly appointed assistant Canadian Trade Commissioner at Cape Town, T. H. Carey of the Cumberland Board of Trade, and Mr. Lawrence, of St. Catharines, Ontario, were guests of the Chamber of Commerce at yesterday's luncheon. W. A. Jameson, who has been ill, came back.

L'Alliance Francaise to Meet.—L'Alliance Francaise meets again on Wednesday and the first lecture of the annual series will be on Saturday at the Parliament Buildings at 8:30. The lectures are given by the University of British Columbia, who will speak in French on the Provinces of the South of France. The machine will be operated by Mr. Huxtable. All information regarding lectures may be had from the secretary, telephone 2330 LZ.

Architects' Meeting.—There was a good attendance yesterday at the Victoria Chapter of the Architectural Institute of British Columbia, at the Pall Mall. At this gathering the secretary announced that he had been advised that the conditions for a large architectural competition for a war memorial at Auckland, New Zealand, were being forwarded.

Owens Much Cordwood.—The Saanich Council was yesterday afternoon informed that 284 cords of cordwood were sold on the Prospect Lake Road as a result of the activities of men given relief work. Councillor Simpson suggested that bids be asked as good prices are now available. It was stated that the price next summer will probably be lower, but that it would be better business to defer sale because of the lessened damage to the gravelled roadways. The wood has cost Saanich an average of \$3.15 per cord.

Tenders Opened.—Tenders for the 1922 supply were opened by Acting Mayor E. S. Woodward at the City Hall this morning in company with the Finance Committee. The tenders were referred to the various committees under whose jurisdiction the matters come. Mayor Marchant left for Vancouver last night, and Andrews and hoped there will be a large attendance.

Oriental Exclusive.—An interesting debate has been arranged for this evening between the Metropolitan Young People's Forum and the Y. M. C. A. Debating Club. The topic will be the exclusion of the Orientals from Canada. The Metropolitan speakers will be Ernest Wilderspin and Arthur Wild, and the M. C. A. speakers will be Charles Keen and C. E. Landy. There will be the regular supper before the debate, which begins at 7 o'clock, in the Y. M. C. A. building.

Railroad Men's Dance.—The Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen will hold their first dance in the K. of P. Hall, North Park Street, Friday, Jan. 13, 8:30 p.m. It is the first dance of its kind to be held in this city.

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15.00	\$5.25
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Rotary Lunch Programme.—The regular Rotary Club luncheon, at the Empress Hotel on Thursday, will be featured by an address by A. P. Hill upon the latest developments in wireless telephony and songs by H. Hough, Scottish comedian.

Arts and Crafts Meeting.—The regular monthly meeting of the Arts and Crafts Club will take place in the clubrooms, Union Bank Building, on Thursday, January 12, at 8:15 o'clock. Election of officers will be the chief business.

Smaller Tax Sale in Saanich.—According to the annual report Collector Sewell made yesterday to the Saanich Council, there was a marked decline in the number of properties sold for taxes in 1921, the 462 parcels sold being only one-third the number included in the 1920 sale.

L. A. to G. W. V. A.—A special meeting of the executive of the Great War Veterans' Association will be held to-night at 7:30 o'clock, in the Bastion Street headquarters, Bastion Street, at 8 o'clock. Matters affecting the welfare of the organization will be considered.

G. W. V. A. Executive.—A meeting of the executive of the Great War Veterans' Association will be held to-night at 7:30 o'clock, in the Bastion Street headquarters. Applications of prospective members will be received, and the reading and lounge rooms for members will be open.

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S. P. C. A.—The Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals acknowledges with thanks the donation of \$2.00 from X.Y.Z. to further the organization's work.

Saaniich Waterworks.—During 1921 the waterworks system of Saanich was amplified by the addition of 13,091 feet of two-inch service main, while new connections totalled 156, according to the annual report published yesterday.

In County Court.—The action of Saunders vs. Little was opened in the County Court this morning, with the plaintiff, representing his son, half, and F. Fouliks for the defendant. The claim is one for some \$46 for damages alleged to have been caused in a motor collision between cars of the litigants recently.

Y. W. C. A. Students' Reception.—Under the auspices of the Y. W. C. A. students' reception will be held in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium on Saturday, Jan. 14, at 3:30 o'clock to be followed by a banquet at 5:30 p.m. when Miss Boller, Dean of Women of the B. C. University, will be the speaker.

Real Estate Board.—The regular quarterly meeting of the Real Estate Board of Victoria will be held tonight at room 518 Belmont House at 8:30 p.m. The business to be discussed will be in connection with associate members and the multiple exclusive listing system. A large turnout is expected.

Centennial Forum.—The Forum of Centennial Methodist Church will hold its annual meeting next Sunday (Jan. 15) at 2:30 p.m., when the election of officers for the year will take place. Details of the programme, which will include an address by a prominent speaker, will be announced later.

For New Trails.—The sum of \$4,700 to be spent on new trails on Somerset Street between Finlayson and Tolmie Avenues; on Jackson Street, between the same streets, and on Lorne Street, from Harriet Road to its end, was authorized by the City Council last night on the recommendation of the Finance Committee.

Guild of Health.—Rev. T. E. Bowe will lecture on "Divine Healing" in the Cathedral Schoolroom on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Mr. Bowe will be joined in Schoolroom on Wednesday morning from 10:30 to 12 o'clock. The Bible Study Class will meet in the Church of Our Lord on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

Trail Chief of Police.—Chief of Police Frank Finlayson announced last night when his patrolling around the city streets after dusk disclosed to him the fact that he was being trailed. Two men followed the chief for several blocks, doubling when he doubled, slowing down to let him pass, and generally trailing the Chief of Police. The identity of the two men was known to Chief Fry, who was much amused at the incident, if a little at a loss to account for the shadowing.

Saanich Meetings To-night.—The meetings of Ward Six will hear Reeve Watson and the other candidates for municipal office this evening at the King George Grammar Hall, at Tolmie School. Councillor Ormond will address the ratepayers of Ward Two and promises to throw light upon origin of much of the opposition which has of late been heard in the ward against his administration of local affairs and the policies of the outgoing Council as a whole.

Victoria Dramatic Society.—The regular fortnightly business and entertainment meetings of the Victoria Dramatic and Operatic Society, which of late have been cancelled on account of the preparations for the pantomime, and also on account of the holiday season, will be resumed on Wednesday evening of this week at the Little Theatre at 8:15 o'clock. An unusually attractive program of music and dancing will be presented for this occasion, the conveners being Mrs. Baird, Mrs. Butterfield, Miss Jean Harvey and the Rev. G. H. Andrews and hoped there will be a large attendance.

To Interest Members.—As stated in The Times recently, Secretary George I. Warren plans to carry out the resolution of the directors of the Chamber of Commerce adopted some months ago in relation to the formation of the members' forum, the object of which is to stimulate interest in the work of the organization. Mr. Warren reported to the directors yesterday that everything would be done to promote interest among the individual members and to conserve the organization's finances. Expenses will be cut to the minimum and the greatest amount of efficiency possible obtained. The latest commercial news will be secured for the library for the benefit of members, said Mr. Warren.

Judgments for Plaintiff.—Judgment for plaintiff in the sum of \$10.50 was given yesterday by His Honor Judge Lampman in the Supreme Court suit

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS,
EQUINOX DISTRICT.

TENMENTS will be received by the Minister of Public Works to noon of Monday, the 16th day of January, 1922, for the demolition of a Highway Bridge on the Sooke Road, over Sooke River, near Sooke Landing.

SPECIFICATIONS, etc., may be seen at the Department of Public Works, Victoria, B. C., or at Sooke Post Office.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

PHILIP,
Public Works Engineer.
Public Works Department,
Parliament Buildings,
Victoria, B. C., Jan. 5, 1922.
No. 5801.

SAY MEN SENT
INTO BATTLE WITH
THEIR HANDS TIED

St. John, N. B., Jan. 10.—A news dispatch of recent date to the effect that the Spanish Ambassador in London, Merry Del Val, denied the charge that American and British members of the Spanish Foreign Legion had been marched into battle with their hands tied behind them, was shown to former members of the Legion. Carlson, Burns, Connally, now stranded in this city, and the men reiterated their former statements on the subject. They cited the case of a man named Hiscock, who was taken from a calaboose and who was sent to his death in that manner. Nearly all the members of Hiscock's company are now living in London and will swear to this, they say.

LEGISLATURE
OF SASKATCHEWAN
RESUMES SESSION

Regina, Jan. 10.—The first session of the Fifth Legislature of Saskatchewan will be resumed to-day at 7 o'clock. Following the close of the debate in reply to the speech from the throne, the Legislature adjourned Friday, December 16. During that first portion of the session there were twenty bills introduced and three resolutions and when the Legislature reconvenes to-day it will have a full agenda to consume.

FIVE NEW JERSEY
MEN KILLED BY
POISONOUS LIQUOR

Hoboken, N. J., Jan. 10.—Five men died to-day after drinking poisonously.

The authorities believe the liquor had been obtained from sailors on an incoming steamship.

Financial News

per cent. in 1916 and 33% per cent. in 1917.

Stock Dividend Figures.

The following table shows the companies which have paid stock dividends, number of shares distributed, selling price on November 21 and market value, with total present value of all distributions:

Company.	Stock.	Shares.	Price.	Value.
Anglo-American Oil	1,000,000	\$ 15.50	\$ 15,500,000	
Chesapeake Mfg.	1,000,000	125	125,000	
Citizen Signal Oil	10,000	48	480,000	
Ohio Oil	200,000	172	34,400,000	
Prairie Oil & Gas	27,000	230	62,100,000	
Standard Oil of California	15,000	370	5,550,000	
Standard Oil of Illinois	486,856	360	178,871,760	
Standard Oil of Kansas	81,000	355	28,550,000	
Standard Oil of Kentucky	10,000	585	5,850,000	
Standard Oil of Nebraska	50,000	440	22,000,000	
Standard Oil of New York	24,000	185	4,440,000	
Standard Oil of Ohio	600,000	375	22,500,000	
	35,000	400	14,000,000	
				\$908,723,368

Total. Represents stock dividend in Prairie Pipe Line stocks.

*Standard of California and Standard Oil of Indiana distributions are shown multiplied four times to arrive at market value.

The Prairie Oil and Gas and the Ohio Oil Company are shown as stock dividend payers. Neither of these companies actually increased their original capitalization of \$18,000,000 and \$15,000,000 respectively. They did not increase, however, stock in companies formed to take over their pipe line operations, following the Supreme Court decree that pipe lines are common carriers.

Combined market value of the Standard Oil group calculated on the basis of stock dividends payers.

Market value on December 21, 1911, shortly before the first year of independent operation, following the Supreme Court's dissolution decree of May 19, 1911, was \$10,000,000 less than the peak selling price, as it is pointed out that the various securities at the highest prices recorded had a market value of \$3,276,027,243. This total, however, represents the absolute high prices for common stock which do not include selling price of the new preferred stocks and other issues.

Value Quadrupled in a Decade.

"Such an expansion in market value over a period of ten years is unprecedented in corporate history," says the agency. "It represents a quadrupling of value in a decade of interesting developments marked this growth. The most prominent is the expansion in the value of Standard Oil refining and marketing companies. Six companies in the group, Atlantic Refining, Standard Oil of California, Indiana, New Jersey, New Mexico and Union Oil were responsible for the major portion of the increase in value."

In connection with the stock dividend payments, it is pointed out that the distributions were mainly by companies engaged in the refining and marketing branch of the industry. Three companies, the Indiana, California and New York distributed stock, having a combined market value at current prices of \$691,888,268, or about 75 per cent. of the valuation of all Standard Oil stock distributions. Most valuable single distribution was \$60,000,000 stock payment in 1918 by Standard Oil of New York. This 400 per cent. stock dividend has present market value of \$24,000,000.

"Two other outstanding examples of enhanced market values are Standard Oil of Indiana and California," it is further stated. "The former had but \$1,000,000 capital in 1911, selling for \$24,000,000, or 24,000 per share. Subsequent stock dividends and the exchange of some of its stock for Midwest Refining have raised the outstanding capital to approximately \$108,000,000. This stock, which has a par value of \$25 as against \$100 in 1911, is selling to-day for \$75,840,000, representing an expansion of nearly 100 per cent. over the market value of 1911. All this was accomplished without obtaining a dollar in subscription from stockholders or the public."

The combined cash and stock dividends paid in the ten years have a cash value of \$1,833,068,166. This is more than eighteen times the \$98,330 capital stock of the old Standard Oil Company of New Jersey which owned the various units at the time of dissolution. The record year for stock dividends was 1913. Last year was the second largest in the decade.

Dividends By Years.

Below is presented a table showing aggregate dividends for each year in cash, par value of stock, and present market value. Also the combined cash and market value of stock dividends for the last ten years:

1911—\$2,000,000. 1912—\$2,000,000.

1913—\$2,000,000. 1914—\$2,000,000.

1915—\$2,000,000. 1916—\$2,000,000.

1917—\$2,000,000. 1918—\$2,000,000.

1919—\$2,000,000. 1920—\$2,000,000.

1921—\$2,000,000. 1922—\$2,000,000.

1923—\$2,000,000. 1924—\$2,000,000.

1925—\$2,000,000. 1926—\$2,000,000.

1927—\$2,000,000. 1928—\$2,000,000.

1929—\$2,000,000. 1930—\$2,000,000.

1931—\$2,000,000. 1932—\$2,000,000.

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1993—\$2,000,000. 1994—\$2,000,000.

1995—\$2,000,000. 1996—\$2,000,000.

1997—\$2,000,000. 1998—\$2,000,000.

1999—\$2,000,000. 2000—\$2,000,000.

2001—\$2,000,000. 2002—\$2,000,000.

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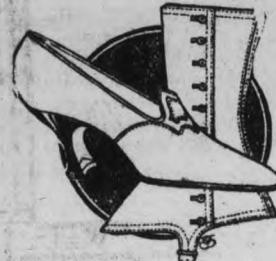


Luncheon, 50c

Served To-morrow from 11.30 to 12.45.

JANUARY HBC CLEARANCE SALE

Store Closes To-morrow at One o'Clock



Women's Overgaiters at \$2.95 a Pair

Church & Co.'s English box cloth tailored spats and tweed styles; this season's latest shades; values to \$4.00. January Clearance Sale, per pair \$2.95

Women's Street Oxfords At \$5.95 a Pair

This season's style in black kid Oxfords; welted soles, Cuban heels; very smart and dressy footwear; value \$5.50. January Clearance Sale, per pair \$5.95

Women's House Slippers At \$2.15 a Pair

Black kid one-strap house slippers with low Cuban heels; value \$2.75. January Clearance Sale, per pair \$2.15

—Main Floor

41 Inch English Madapolam Value 35c 25c Yard

Wednesday morning shoppers will appreciate the value of this dainty English Cotton in a width which will cut to good advantage; 41 inch; worth 35c. 25c Yard 25c

White Turkish Towels At 4 for \$1.00

White Turkish towels of a splendid English make; made with a closely woven pile, ensuring excellent wear; size 18 x 36. January Clearance Sale, 4 for \$1.00

Silk Hair Nets At 25c a Dozen

Women's hair nets made of silk with elastic; in colors of light, medium and dark brown, blonde and black. January Clearance Sale, 12 for 25c

Hair Nets At 6 for 69c

Made of real human hair; Hudson's Bay Special and Princess Pat; all shades in stock. January Clearance Sale, 6 for 69c

—Main Floor

More Savings From the Furniture Department

Kitchen Chairs Hardwood kitchen chairs. January Clearance Sale, each \$1.39

Brass Beds Two brass beds with two-inch posts, 1½-inch top rail and five fillers; in four-foot size only; value \$27.50. January Clearance Sale, each \$15.95

Simmons' Steel Beds With 1½-inch square post and five fillers; finished in walnut; value \$22.50. January Clearance Sale, each \$19.95

Chests of Drawers Finished in fumed or gold, large case, with three drawers and wooden knobs; value \$12.75. January Clearance Sale, each \$9.95

All-Felt Mattresses A felt mattress with roll edge and fine art ticking; will not lump. January Clearance Sale, each \$8.35

Parlor Tables These tables are in square, oval and oblong; finished in walnut and mahogany. January Clearance Sale, each \$8.25

—Fourth Floor

Stratnoid Untarnishable Photo Frames Look Like Sterling Silver

Small circular frames, values 35c. January Clearance Sale, 25c

Small oval frames, values 35c. January Clearance Sale, 25c

Larger size circular frames, value 50c. January Clearance Sale, 35c

Larger size oval frames, values 50c. January Clearance Sale, 35c

—Main Floor

1922 Calendars

The very small balance of our stock at HALF PRICE.

Burnt Leather Novelties

Comprising many different items such as cushion tops, tie holders, match holders, photo holders, etc. All at HALF PRICE.

—Main Floor

Steamer Rugs At Greatly Lowered Prices

Two Only Fancy Plaid Rugs, value \$18.50 for \$13.95

Four Only Fancy Plaid Rugs, value \$16.00 for \$13.95

Two Only Fancy Plaid Rugs, value \$12.50 for \$8.95

Three Only Fancy Plaid Rugs, value \$10.00 for \$8.95

—Main Floor

Men's Smart Tailored Suits At \$29.65 Each

Smart Tweeds and Worsted in the all right colorings. These are not job suits, but our regular Hudson's Bay guaranteed clothes; values to \$45.00. January Clearance Sale, \$29.65

Sale, per suit \$29.65

—Main Floor

Drug Department Specials

Erasmic Soap; value 25c. January Clearance Sale, 2 for 25¢

Nujol; value 75c. January Clearance Sale 57¢

D. and L. Hypophosphites; value \$1.25. January Clearance Sale 88¢

Djer Kiss Vanishing Cream; value 75c. January Clearance Sale, 53¢

Beecham's Pills; value 25c. January Clearance Sale 19¢

Bromo Seltzer; value 50c. January Clearance Sale 38¢

Scott's Emulsion; value 50c. January Clearance Sale 39¢

Orchid Vanishing Cream; value 50c. January Clearance Sale 37¢

Pear's Wash Balls; value 45c. January Clearance Sale 33¢

Ingram's Toilet Water; value \$1.25. January Clearance Sale 75¢

Sanatogen; value \$1.25. January Clearance Sale 98¢

Sylvan Soap; value 65c. January Clearance Sale, per box 43¢

—Main Floor

Note These Big Reductions in Skirts For Wednesday Morning

Novelty and tailored skirts in plaid, serge and tricotine in all the tailored styles. Come in navy, black and combination colors. Novelty pockets and belts; waist 25 to 30.

Values to \$12.50, \$7.95

Values to \$14.50, \$11.95

Values to \$16.50, \$13.95

—Second Floor

Women's Vests at 89c Each

Made of heavy cotton or slightly fleeced; in various makes, consisting of low neck and strap shoulders; short, elbow and long sleeves; values to \$1.25. January Clearance Sale, each 89¢

—Main Floor

Women's Drawers at 89c a Pair

In closed or open style; knee or ankle length; sizes 34 to 40. January Clearance Sale, per pair 89c

—Second Floor

54-Inch Pure Wool Tweeds at 98c a Yard

Only 150 yards, so be here early. Woven from pure wool yarns in plaids and mixtures. Excellent color combinations; 54 inches wide; value \$1.95 a yard. January Clearance Sale, each 98c

—Main Floor

33-Inch Natural Pongee Silk at 59c a Yard

Another shipment of this desirable natural pongee silk in a width which will cut to good advantage. Secure your requirements now: 33 inches wide. January Clearance Sale, per yard 59c

—Main Floor

A Great Clean-Up in Ribbons

2¾-Inch Satin or Silk Ribbon 51c at 59c a Yard

1-inch wide lingerie ribbons; in white, mauve and maize. January Clearance Sale, per yard 10c

—Main Floor

Lingerie Ribbons With Floral Designs at 10c a Yard

1-inch wide lingerie ribbons; in white, mauve and maize. January Clearance Sale, per yard 10c

—Main Floor

18-Inch Swiss Lawn Embroidery at 49c a Yard

Good Quality Lawn Embroidery with beading. Suitable for corset covers and children's white dresses. January Clearance Sale, per yard 49c

—Main Floor

Boys' Blue and White Stripe Overalls at 50c a Pair

In bib style and made of good strong drill; sizes 22 to 26. Just 50 pairs to sell at this price. No phone or C. O. D. orders. January Clearance Sale, per pair 50c

—Main Floor

Two Special Values in Brooms

15 Dozen Corn Brooms to Sell at 69c Each.

Fine even stock; varnished handles. January Clearance Sale Wednesday morning, each 69c

—Main Floor

Hair Brooms at \$1.59 Each

Twenty-five 14-inch Hair Brooms, with thread handles; reversible; splendiferous long soft bristles. Special for Wednesday morning. \$1.59 Selling, each 1.59

—Lower Main Floor

Men's Heavy Oxfords, \$5.95 Pair

Brown Calf Brogue Oxfords; full double soles. A very serviceable shoe for the season. Values to \$9.50. January Clearance Sale, per pair \$5.95

—Main Floor

Men's "Leckie" Boots at \$9.95 a Pair.

We offer best grade of Leckie's Boots in black or brown calf; leather lined; full double soles. Guaranteed solid leather throughout. Value \$12.00. January Clearance Sale, per pair \$9.95

—Main Floor

Boys' School Boots

Stout Black Calf Leather Boots; serviceable for school. Noted for wear and quality. Sizes 11 to 13½. January Clearance Sale, per pair \$3.00

—Main Floor

\$3.75

Shop Early for These Special Bargains

Stoves and Heaters

No. 18 Airtight Heaters

For a quick heat for that cold spot in the house. January Clearance Sale, each \$2.50

Two-Hole Flat Top Wood or Coal Heaters

Globe body; two-hole flat top Wood or Coal Heaters; value \$10.50. January Clearance Sale, each \$7.95

Twilight Herald Stoves

Wood or coal burner; top or side feed; solid cast stove; nickel top and foot rail. Value \$21.50. January Clearance Sale, each \$17.00

No. 14 Regal Franklin Stoves

Open grate; for wood or coal; heavy cast iron. An attractive looking stove. Value \$28.00. January Clearance Sale, each \$19.50

Gurney Oxford Globe Heaters

Economical on fuel and a great stove for heating. Value \$15.95. January Clearance Sale, each \$10.95

Men's Whipcord Pants at \$5.95 a Pair

Grey Whipcord Pants, in an extra heavy weight. A well cut pant that will fit; belt loops and five pockets. All sizes. January Clearance Sale, per pair \$5.95

Brassieres at 59c Each

Made in cambric and granite cloth, in pink or white; also trimmed with cluny lace. Sizes 34 to 44. January Clearance Sale, each 59c

Muslin Corset Covers at 59c Each

In soft quality; trimmed with wide insertions of lace; finished with peplos and draw string. Values to 59c. January Clearance Sale, each 59c

—Second Floor

Apron House Dresses at 98c Each

In check ginghams in black and white only; square neck and kimono sleeves; pockets and the sash finished with rick rack braid. January Clearance Sale, each 98c

—Second Floor

Wednesday Morning Specials in Groceries

Sound Firm Okanagan Cooking Onions. Sale price 4½ pounds for 25¢

Large Spanish Onions, for slicing, 3 pounds for 25¢

Choice California Grapefruit, heavy and full of juice. 5 for 25¢

Nucco Nut Margarine. Special per pkg. 35¢

Clark's Roast Beef, 2-pound tin, special 68¢

Five Roses Oats, fine quality, Special per large carton 22¢

B. K. Cream of Oats, large package, special 25¢

Aunt Jemima's Buckwheat, Corn and Barley Flour for pancakes, Special per pkg. 15¢

The Times Latest Sporting News



LES. PATRICK AS PUCK JUGGLER.
Last night Lester Patrick established a new reputation when he assumed the role of Comedian of the ice.



Millionaires Take Comedy Game From Aristocrats at Home

In the Funniest Game of the Season Vancouver Blanked Victoria With a Four to Nothing Score; Patrick Distinguished Himself As Goaltender and Comedian.

P. C. H. A. Standing.

	P.	W.	L.	D.	For	Agst.	Pts.	Goals
Vancouver	11	6	5	0	34	24	12	
Victoria	11	5	5	1	27	27	11	
Seattle	10	4	5	1	18	29	9	

Vancouver, Jan. 10.—Fifty-seven varieties of hockey, a goal-keeping display that rivaled anything ever offered on the comedy stage, a regular two-fisted scrap between two noble athletes, a lot of tripping and then some more, some good playing and some that was not quite so good and Vancouver finally triumphing over Victoria—that was the sum total of last night's activities at the Denman Street arena.

Vancouver won, collected three honest to goodness counters and scored another from a penalty shot, turned the invaders back with nary a counter and again hopped back into first place in the coast pennant fight. Final score 4-0.

Adam's Wicked Shot.

Chunky Jawn Adams, packing a wicked punch in his sharpshooting iron, paved the way for a Vancouver victory when he opened the scoring with a goal from the penalty box. But before winds of the night's performance turned two more, while Vancouver was tied with the fourth. Both MacKay and Frederickson, tied for the scoring leadership, drew blanks. It was a wild and woolly affair. All of the good hockey on tap was crowded into the first fifteen minutes. After that it was a go-as-you-please scramble and the champs' scramble 'em better than the folks team across the Gulf.

Featuring the display and providing the comedy element was Lester Patrick, grizzled Victoria leader. He essayed to keep goal while his Fowler was cooling off after having tried to muss up MacKay's physog and the goalkeeper the old-time first-class diver. For ten minutes he scrambled from one side to the other of the narrow cage, volplaned at times and skidded along on his necktie on other occasions. If the fans got a giggle out of Charlie Chaplin of the ice when the individual performed, the note a couple of weeks ago, they got a roar out of Patrick's performance. It was the climax of a night of good, bad and indifferent hockey.

Variations of Evening.

Lester injected his manly form into the picture along in the third period when Fowler was banished. MacKay had made one of the great solo excursions into Victoria territory and took a shot at the puck near the net. Fowler accepted it as a challenge to settle the world's championship then, and there regardless of expense or the size of the purse. He let fly with both hands, and Mickey came right back. Then they mixed, but when they were finally pried apart both were banished from the arena for ten minutes. Captain Lester Patrick on the ice. For the next ten minutes the fans got more real laughs out of hockey than will probably fall to their lot for a long time to come. Without pads, but with his hair standing on end, the Victoria veteran gave the multitude a lot of thrills. The famous African dodger had nothing on him. He performed in every conceivable fashion. Catching the puck a la baseball he would heave it first this way and then. Other times he was on his knees, stick yards away, pushing himself in the direction of the puck.

He gyrated this way on his wishbone, and the other way on his eyebrows. The greater the crowd roared the harder Lester played. And all the time the Vancouverites were shaking their heads with drives from all angles.

But it was not until Fowler time expired, was chambering over the boards, that Adams beat Patrick with the fourth goal of the match. Patrick may never be a great goalkeeper, but he showed enough last night to convince fans that as a custodian he's a wonderful forward. But joking aside he deserves credit for filling in the pinch, and he added just enough spice to the entertainment to send the folks home happy.

First Penalty Shot.

Vancouver's victory was clearest. The penalty shot the first to be scored by Adams, and we've had no chance all hands will admit, put the rollers under the Victoria outfit before the game was under way six minutes. Adams's shot beat Fowler completely.

Oatman Missed Fun.

Victoria entered the great game

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GRASS HOCKEY

Mr. P. Fletcher, secretary of the Victoria Grass Hockey Club, wishes to announce that beginning on Wednesday, January 11, anyone who wishes to engage in grass hockey games may do so on the Jubilee Grounds. The games will begin at 8 o'clock every following Wednesday. Clubs and expert instruction will be furnished. Ladies are invited also.

NEW ICE COMEDIAN



AMATEURS FAIL TO SHOW SPEED

Veterans and Sénateurs Win From Garrison and Elks

Playing rather poor hockey with numerous slips, false passes and tangled knots of men about the puck, the Veteran and Garrison aggregations wound up their fray with the War Vets obtaining the heaviest side of the numerical spoils. The score was two to one.

After the Senators and Elks had hacked up the ice for a game that went 19 minutes and 45 seconds overtime the Senators were found to have emerged from the tangle with the deciding goal.

In the initial tangle Copas and Wickens held out well for the Vets by carrying the puck up the ice and risking long shots. Their efforts effected a good start although the game dragged frequently. The Vets failed significantly in their passing. Time and again they crisscrossed the rink, drove down the ice only to lose it in passing. Some excitement was exhibited among the sleepy fans when Jacklin and Rivard decided to stage a combination boxing bout, mingling boxing and wrestling in "dinner and a show" style. Riley stopped the affair recalling to the players the fact that they were playing ice hockey and that a free for all was hardly good form, by sending both men to the fence. Riley referred a good game in each period to the Vets as "not playing anything else but clean hockey."

Copas oscillated a wicked stick all evening and brought the period to a close by breaking it in an attempt to even up things for the first goal of the Garrison score.

In the second period Miller decided that one goal was a too doubtful advantage and in a lone rush succeeded in shooting another. Jacklin netted the puck and the scoring for the Vets ended for the evening.

The teams lined up as follows:

G.W.V.A. ... P. Copas ... Garrison ... S. O. E. ... Wickens ... L. Defence ... Codville R. Copas ... R. Defence ... Rivard ... Jacklin ... Centre ... Tuckwell Dudley ... L. Wing ... Matthews ... Miller ... R. Wing ... Allen ... Utility ... Stewart ...

Stanford University, Cal., Jan. 19.

Plans are being made to bring a Vancouver, B. C. rugby team to Stanford probably late next month for a series of games against the Canadian ruggers. It is probable the University of British Columbia team will make the trip. The games will be played in the new Stanford Stadium.

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VARSITY MAY MAKE LONG TRIP SOUTH

Plans Are Being Considered to Send U. B. C. to Stanford to Engage Cardinals

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COMMITTEE FORMED FOR SPORTING EVENTS

C. P. R. Organizes Body to Govern Their Sporting Events

At the Empress Hotel last night the C. P. R. Social and Athletic Association organized their sports committee. G. F. McLean, president of the committee is to have full charge of all sporting events, and all particulars should communicate with the committee. Those elected were: President, A. Francis; secretary, T. Miller; Committee of the B. C. Coast Service: D. C. Robertson and M. Sparks; E. N. and R. Railway: D. Griffiths, W. Wallace, W. Wood and J. M. Forde; C. P. R. General Office: T. McKeown and the Empress Hotel; C. Lewis.

Summary: 1st period—Senators, Murray, 3.30; 2nd, Senators, H. Smith, 2.00; 3rd, Senators, H. Smith, 1.00; 4th, Elks, Elmer, 3.01. 2nd period—5 Elks, Elmer, 3.01. 3rd period—5 Elks, Elmer, 3.01. 4th period—5 Elks, Elmer, 3.01. Over-time—9, Senators, Delidal, 1945. Penalties—Murray (Senators), 3 minutes; Referee—John Riley.

Calgary, Jan. 10.—The Regina Capitals beat the Calgary Tigers 3 to 2 last night. Del. Iain accounted for the shot that decided the grueling struggle after 21 minutes and 15 seconds of overtime play.

It was a wonderful victory for the Regina clan and a game that kept the 5,000 fans on edge. The ice was heavy and spotted with water at the finish.

Referee—"Bill" Riley.

Regina, Jan. 10.—Regina Victorias went into the lead in the Senior Saskatchewan Hockey League here last night by defeating the Indian Head team 4 to 2, in a hard fought game.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Jan. 10.—The Pittsburgh Hockey Club team last night defeated the Sons of Ireland of Montreal in the opening game of a series by 4 to 2.

Winnipeg, Jan. 10.—The Brandon champions stopped the winning streak of the Selkirk team in the Manitoba Senior Hockey League to-night by 4 to 2.

Saskatoon, Jan. 10.—The University of Saskatchewan jumped into the lead of the Northern Amateur Hockey here last night when they defeated the Nationals, also of Saskatoon, 6 to 0.

Eveleth, Minn., Jan. 10.—Eveleth defeated Calumet, Mich., at hockey here last night 5 to 0.

NOTICE

In report of Wednesday's League game of Association Football the name of referee Chapman should be changed to that of C. Faulkner.

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ANNUAL REPORT SHOWS SAANICH TO BE FLOURISHING

High Ward Expenditures and Lessened Tax Receipts Cause Small Deficit

The annual report of the affairs of Saanich was yesterday afternoon presented to the Municipal Council by Reeve Watson, who congratulated the municipality upon the successful outcome of a difficult year.

Financial Situation

In his formal report accompanying the tabulations, Reeve Watson declared that the collections of taxes had again approximated 85 per cent of the total levy, and pointed out that only for the further extension of the War Relief Act, there would have been a further reduction in the arrears of taxes.

The allocation of \$25,000 of the 1920 surplus to school purposes recalled by Reeve Watson, who notes that this source had also enabled the substantial enhancement of the war appropriations without an increase in the taxes levied.

Unemployment and waterworks extensions are touched upon, and a forecast that a sewer by-law will be submitted to the people before July is also made.

Pointing out that the municipal cemetery did not cost the ratepayers one cent, Reeve Watson recommends support of the referendum about to be submitted to a vote.

Reeve Watson refers to the reduction of the debenture debt by \$18,434 and to the sale of \$100,000 of waterworks bonds at above par. The condition of the sinking funds, especially the building fund, aggregate surplus on the various accounts of \$17,079, despite the fact that during the year the ratepayers were assessed \$8,371 less than the levies required by the original by-laws.

As an example of the excellent financing enjoyed by Saanich, Reeve Watson points out that the interest return on the investment made next year will be \$19,467, while the legal return required from this \$330,000 is but \$9,393. Saanich thus profiting, through careful supervision of her assets, by over \$9,500.

Interesting Items

An examination of the various statements shows that the total taxes collected for all purposes in 1921 amounted to \$254,449. Of this the general tax rate was anticipated to produce eventually \$70,341, while \$86,852 was collected this year.

To this was added \$42,944 of arrears paid the inclusion of percentage additions bringing the general revenue receipts up to \$103,612.

This tax paid general revenue was subject to the following practices, necessitated by the practice of the taking over to special purposes the full amount of the less debenture.

Schools, \$16,247; to make up the full levy of \$35,049; debt rate, \$4,268 unpaid in 1921, and \$1,916 for Ward Seven by-law, and other special assessments.

The contributions to other special funds total \$31,260, and will eventually come back to the general revenue of later years in the collection of arrears of taxes.

The fact that the ward appropriations had totalled \$66,060 while the whole general revenue tax rate was planned to produce but \$70,341 was a marked feature of the annual statement.

That Overdraft.

A point of interest is mention of an overdraft of \$24,000 due the municipality's bankers, but an examination of the contra side of the bal-

ance sheet shows that, to the extent of over \$10,000, this is offset by cash in hand, debts due Saanich from the provinces and others, and \$2,000 of unissued Health Centre debentures held by solicitors and partners.

Another feature of note is the fact that the schools levy so greatly exceeded the general revenue tax, the School Board receiving from the Council the full \$95,049 of tax assessed, in addition to a building grant of \$25,000 for new buildings. In similar manner it is shown that the actual debt levy of \$54,808 was almost as large as the \$52,282. Saanich ratepayers contributed to the treasury on account of their 1921 general property rates.

The system of accounting in vogue in Saanich segregates all items in such a manner as to enable the ratepayers to locate every receipt on expenditure, with the exception of the municipal balance sheet. The completion of the sixty page report within one week of the close of the year was commented upon by the councilors.

ABLE SPEAKER ON YOUNG PEOPLE'S WORK TO VISIT

Dr. Barker to Speak Here Under Rotary Auspices

The Rotary Club is sending out notices to-day to its members regarding the arrangements which are being made for a combined Kiwanis, Gyro, Canadian and Rotary Club luncheon at the Empress Hotel at 12:30 o'clock on Friday of next week in connection with the special Boys' Work campaign, at which Dr. Charles E. Barker will speak on "What Is Service?"

Dr. Barker has given no less than four thousand addresses on the subject of young people's work. During his stay in Victoria he will give a number of addresses, and keen interest is taken in his forthcoming visit to the city.

On Friday afternoon, January 20, Dr. Barker will address a special meeting for ladies at the Pantages Theatre under the auspices of the Women's Canadian Club. Dr. Barker's speech will be on the occasion "A Mother's Relation to Her Daughter." This meeting will begin at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

At 8 o'clock in the evening of the same day Dr. Barker will address a special mass meeting under the auspices of the Rotary Club on the subject: "A Father's Responsibility to His Son."

The series of meetings are attractive, a great deal of attention and owing to the nature of the addresses and the ability of the noted speaker large attendances at the various meetings are assured.

In Police Court.—Ha Joe, Joe Kip, Lee Hoy charged with being keepers and H. You with Edward O'Toole charged with being found in a gambling house at 145-17 Store Street, were to-day remanded in the City Police Court until Wednesday. H. W. R. Moore appeared for the first four named, while Robert was defended by Frank Plaskett, charged with forgery was remanded until Monday, with H. A. Maclean, K.C., appearing for the informant, the Union Bank of Canada. Plaskett was charged with forgery of a cheque to the amount of some \$360. Jean Brennan charged with selling liquor at premises on a boathouse at the foot of Erie Street, James Bay, was remanded until to-morrow. Frank Walls appeared for the accused, who pleaded not guilty. The evidence of two special constables Woodburn and Jeeves, now probationers on the force, was heard, in which they stated that they had purchased drink at the place in question.

ARGUES CASE WAS CIVIL ONE.

The matter was civil one, argued counsel for the appellants in which the appellants had every right to seek appeal. Counsel explained that the respondent, Wong Shee, was twenty years of age and had married Lou Gar, her present husband, last April at No Nam, in China. The immigration authorities claimed that Wong Shee's father was a laborer, and that therefore the respondent belonged to the laboring classes, and could not be admitted, and also that Lou Gar had married previously, and there was no conclusive evidence to show that his first wife was dead.

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VETERANS' RELIEF FUND PROGRESSES

Urgent Need for Greater Assistance

Many applications for assistance are received daily from the distressed families of ex-service men by H. F. Tolmie, Secretary of the Amalgamated Veterans' Relief Committee, and despite the depleted state of the fund such relief as is possible at the hands of the committee is immediately administered.

More retired men are out of employment with no work available, and their families are without even the bare necessities of life. Such cases are being relieved daily by the Amalgamated Veterans' Relief Fund, food and clothing are urgently sought.

Many positions, both causal and permanent have been found for veterans through the Veterans Employment Bureau, and veterans out of employment cannot over-estimate the value of service which is being offered free by the courtesy of the more fortunate comrades.

Any ex-service out of employment will receive every assistance possible to obtain employment after leaving his name with the secretary.

Dr. Tolmie, Secretary of the Amalgamated Veterans' Association, will be addressed to H. P. Thorpe, Amalgamated Veterans' Association, 127 Pemberton Building, Victoria.

WOULD STAY ORDER OF HABEAS CORPUS

Immigration Authorities Ask Appeal Court for Right to Deport Wong Shee

The Wong Shee appeal was opened to-day before the Court of Appeal, being an appeal by the Crown from an order of habeas corpus releasing the respondent Wong Shee, a young Chinese woman, held by the immigration authorities for deportation.

R. L. Reid, K.C., for the Immigration Department, the appellants, stated the appeal was being sought from an order of habeas corpus obtained by the respondent, Wong Shee, a young Chinese girl seeking admittance to Canada as the wife of a Vancouver apartment house keeper, for the release of the respondent from an order of deportation made by a board of inquiry of the Immigration Department.

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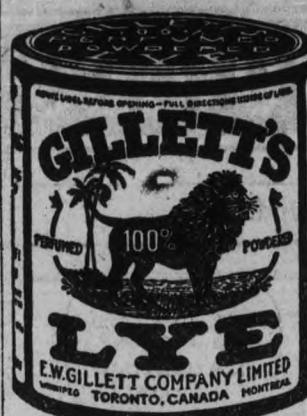
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SLIGHT DISORDERS IN BELFAST

Belfast, Jan. 10.—Four men raided a saloon last night and seriously wounded a tenant. One of the raiders was captured.

Two bartenders employed in another saloon were shot while walking on the street.

The loss is variously estimated between \$500,000 and \$1,000,000.



KIWANIANS HEAR DR. S. F. TOLMIE

Great Opportunities Confront Community, Says Speaker Spirit of Service and Co-operation Essential to Success

In his first address in 1922 Hon. S. F. Tolmie, M.P. for Victoria, to-day catalogued the nation-wide work which the Kiwanians Club were carrying out in the general interests of humanity at large, in addressing the Victoria Kiwanians Club.

Diagnosis of Conditions.

"What is the best thing to do for our town?" is the great question which confronts the various Kiwanian organizations, he pointed out.

He recommended first a diagnosis of local conditions and then to compare conditions with other Pacific Coast cities.

Trans-Pacific trade extension and development of the wealthy areas of Vancouver Island were some of the things constituting valuable opportunities.

Dr. Tolmie said he suggested three years ago that a committee should be appointed to make a diagnosis of the situation. Such a committee had never been formed, but the Chamber of Commerce is now taking such a step, it was added.

Attractions for tourists, improvements of roads, beaches and parks are very good, but it has resulted in vastly increasing overhead cost in the farming industry, he explained.

Ortonal Problem.

Agricultural lands are threatened with the possibility of being turned over to the Asians unless economy is practical and everything possible done to encourage production in agriculture, he stated.

"Close co-operation between business interests and the producers is absolutely essential," he said. "There are too many things produced in foreign countries being imported in our city," said the ex-minister.

"The buying of home products is most essential to assure prosperity and thriving farm lands in the outskirts of Victoria will prove one of the biggest attractions to tourists and result in keeping them here."

Wool Industry.

"Three and three-quarter million sheep in Canada does not compare favorably with this industry in other countries," he went on.

There is no question about an ample supply of wool being available for a mill in Victoria. Conditions here are very suitable for sheep raising. In the Mormon settlements in Alberta considerable quantities of wool are produced and this supply could be drawn on if necessary," Dr. Tolmie continued.

Poultry Industry.

The great war, he pointed out, had shown that the rank and file could be quickly trained to become efficient fighting men, and that largely due to a "highly developed character of our citizens." Such character could be rightly developed in a regiment, he declared.

Patriotism was "instilled" in the oath of allegiance to His Majesty, self restraint through discipline, and a sense of duty, thus the militiaman learned to do his duty to his King, his country, his comrades and himself.

Colonel Robertson was of the opinion that the attendance at the new Drill Hall each Saturday evening had become so popular that the attendance fluctuated, according to the weather from 1,000 to 1,500, depending on the weather. The buying of home products was not instituted for gain, and declared that it was desirable to promote a change of attitude of mind towards the objects and aims of the Regiment as a military organization.

Lesson of War.

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In taking up athletics the Fifth Regiment, he said, was fortunate in having a corps of volunteers who had no time to do anything but work for an honest day's pay. The chairman, Hon. F. C. Carvell, declared at a meeting of the Dominion Railway Commission here to-day.

There was said to be a great future before this industry, and there is no question about an ample supply of wool being available for a mill in Victoria. Conditions here are very suitable for sheep raising. In the Mormon settlements in Alberta considerable quantities of wool are produced and this supply could be drawn on if necessary," Dr. Tolmie continued.

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SIXTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

CLARK—On January 7, 1922, at the residence of Dr. F. H. Clark, of Reston, Manitoba, Frank Clark, age 68 years, born Orange Hill, Ontario, who had ceased to be a resident of Victoria for a number of years. He is survived by one son, Dr. Frank H. Clark, of Reston, Manitoba, and daughter, Miss May Clark, of Riversdale, Cal.; also one brother, Herbert Clark, of Seattle, and one sister, Mrs. Walter Byrd, of Victoria. (Seattle and Brockville papers please copy.)

ROBERTSON—At the Jubilee Hospital, on the 8th instant, Edith Copland (32 Shirley Street), wife of John Robertson. Funeral will take place from Sands Funeral Parlors to-morrow, Tuesday, at 2.30 p.m. in Ross Bay Cemetery.

CARD OF THANKS.

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Allan and family wish to thank their many kind friends for all letters of condolence and floral tributes and other proofs of loving sympathy during their sad bereavement.

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CELESTIAL TUITION—Mr. Frank Balagino, 515 Princess Ave. Phone 5555R.

CALEDONIA DANCE every Saturday, View Street, 8.30, 50c and 25c. Wal-lace’s orchestra.

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KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—For West-Victoria Lodge, No. 1, meets K. of P. Hall, 154 Courtney Street, 10-15. A. G. Harding, Secretary. 1905 Government St. 9

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Eighty ratepayers of Ward Four gathered last night at Strawberry Vale Hall to hear Reeve Watson's annual report, and listen to candidates for election. Robert Sea acted as chairman of a most orderly meeting.

Councillor Kingwell, as candidate for reeve, informed the ratepayers that he would be the only opponent of Reeve Watson, as Councillor Simpson had, since the filing of the nomination papers, withdrawn in his favor. He paid a tribute to Mr. Simpson for his work while a member of the Council. He declared the bank overdraft to-day to be \$26,000. He outlined a number of improvements he believed he would be able to bring about if elected reeve, chiefly in connection with the works department. He promised to revise the assessment roll, claiming many inequalities.

Financial Situation.

Reeve Watson declared that, while the year had ended with an apparent money deficit of about \$10,000, there was in the possession of Saanich large areas of lands taken over for taxes which are worth far more than the uncollected revenues.

Even the apparent deficit would not have existed had not the moratorium been unexpectedly extended for another year by the Provincial Legislature after the Saanich budget had been compiled and passed, he said.

The Reeve declared the sewer discussion, which dragged for the past few days, to be nothing more than a red herring drawn across the trail. He read from documents showing the agreement to be advantageous, and remarked: "I want to drive this home."

IF BACK HURTS BEGIN ON SALTS

Flush your kidneys occasionally if you eat meat regularly.

No man or woman who eats meat regularly can make a mistake by flushing the kidneys occasionally, says a well-known authority. Meat forms uric acid which clogs the kidney pores so they become strained and strain the blood, then you get sick. Nearly all rheumatism, headaches, liver trouble, nervousness, constipation, dizziness, sleeplessness, bladder disorders come from sluggish kidneys.

To help you feel a dull ache in the kidneys or your back hurts or if the urine is cloudy, offensive, full of sediment, irregular of passage or attended by a sensation of scalding, get about four ounces of Jas. Salt from any reliable pharmacy and take a tablet with a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acids of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and has been used for generations to flush clogged kidneys and restore the kidney's activity, also to neutralize the acids in urine so it no longer causes irritation, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jas. Salts is inexpensive and cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink. All regular meat eaters should take now and then a tablet to keep the kidneys clean and the blood pure, thereby avoiding serious kidney complications. (Advt.)

SMOKE NUISANCE IS AGAIN TO THE FORE

Mills Would Close If By-law Enforced, Aldermen Claim

The smoke nuisance formed the topic for a lengthy discussion by the City Council last night, following reports filed by Medical Health Officer Dr. A. G. Price, and Fire Chief Vernon Stewart, and the upshot of the argument was that the Public Works Committee will investigate the whole matter.

"Smoke and plenty of it will do no harm to Victoria," commented Mayor Marchant, who declared, however, that everything possible should be done to abate the nuisance.

Dr. Price reported that naturally the breathing in of the dust was not beneficial to the respiratory organs. The by-law calls for the restriction of the nuisance, and he recommended that the mills should overcome the difficulty by installing a burning apparatus.

Fire Chief Stewart reported that the Dominion authorities were experimenting with appliances for the elimination of such nuisances, but so far had not reported any success. The Pacific Coast Fire Chiefs in convention here had admitted that the nuisance prevailed in all cities, and no solution of the trouble had yet been found.

Alderman Todd was convinced that the nuisance could be abated, and was anxious that the Council should instruct the Fire Chief to see that the by-law was enforced.

Effect On Mills.

Alderman Lincham said that it would undoubtedly put the local mills out of operation and throw a lot of men out of employment. Both he and Alderman Harvey asserted that if the by-law was enforced the Carter Shingle Mill for one would not attempt to resume operations on the local waterfront.

Alderman Todd declared that it would not affect the operation of the mills, and that it was quite possible for them to abate the nuisance. In answer to a query from Alderman Leeming he said that a deputation of mill owners had waited on previous councils in an endeavor to offset the opposition to the smoke nuisance.

"People who opposed the by-law were held up to public scorn, and it was not anxious to have industries in Victoria," said Alderman Todd.

The question will come up again for discussion at the next Council meeting.

TO SHOW METHOD OF STREET SWEEPING

Council to Attend Motion Picture Demonstration

The Elgin method of street cleaning will be screened at the Romano Theatre at 11 o'clock Thursday morning, and the Mayor and Council will witness the demonstration in relief work in the by-lane land at Shelburne Street, the boots to remain the property of the city, was approved.

The necessary formalities to provide for the functioning of the Victoria and Saanich Beaches and Parks Committee were carried out and Mayor Marchant, with Alderman Lincham and Todd were appointed as the City's representatives on that committee.

The Public Works Committee will hereafter hold regular meetings every Friday afternoon, as was the custom of the former Streets Committee.

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Mrs. Samuel Ward, Milldale, Saanich writes: "I feel that I must write to you before another day passes I am so happy and so grateful to your splendid medicine, Burdock Blood Bitters, for after an illness of five years I am better."

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A Claim.

The claim made by Charles Provis that he was being overtaxed, and that the Council should take action to alleviate his troubles was referred to the Local Improvement Commissioners.

Mrs. M. Cox claimed that she had suffered damage to the extent of \$52, as a result of having tripped over a stone on Cowan Avenue. She wished to be compensated for injury to her dress and shoes. The matter was referred to the City Solicitor.

Mrs. Sarah Cox requested that a suitable "bridge" be built near her home at North Carey Road, and that an arc light be installed to safeguard people from falling in the ditch. This was referred to a committee for report.

The City Engineer Preston reported that the paving of the eastern part of Hillside Avenue would cost about \$12,000. This is the sum included in the programme outlined for relief work.

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